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SUBJECT: NEW AREAS OF ECONOMIC COOPERATION

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- 1. SINCE BRITISH HAVE CIRCULATED OUR DRAFT REPLY TO SYG'S MAY 31 LETTER TO THEIR EMBASSIES FOR COMMENT, WE ELIEVE IT WOULD BE DESIRABLE IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO FOR YOU TO DISCUSS OUR DRAFT WITH UK EMBASSY, ANKARA.
- 2. WE HAVE ALSO HAD IN MIND POSSIBILITY OF HAVING EMBASSY, TEHRAN CONSULT WITH BATMANGLIJ OF IRANIAN FOREIGN OFFICE, FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF OUR CONSULTATIONS WITH BRITISH AND PRIOR SUBMISSION OF REPLY TO SYG. BATMANGLIJ HAD PLAYED HELPFUL AND CONSTRUCTIVE ROLE IN LAST YEAR'S ECONOMIC COMMITTEE MEETING WHICH LED TO ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION CALLING FOR IDENTIFICATION OF NEW AREAS OF COOPERATION. WE BELIEVE CONFIDENTIAL

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HE MIGHT BE SYMPATHETIC TO APPROACH WE HAVE OUTLINED AND

FEEL HIS SUPPORT COULD BE A REAL HELP.

3. AS FOR UK OBSERVATION THAT OUR REPLY MAY BE FIRST, APPEARS TO US THAT THIS MIGHT HAVE SOME ADVANTAGES: CHANNELING DISCUSSION AND AT SAME TIME MANIFESTING OUR INTEREST. HOWEVER, ON QUESTION OF TIMING OF OUR SUBMISSION, AS WELL AS OTHER ELEMENTS OF SCENARIO FOR MOVING PROJECT ALONG, WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR ADVICE. RUSH

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